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### POLITICAL ADVERTISING.

### To the Voters of Vermont

Owing to the large expense in holding a delegate convention it has been deemed best by the Executive State Committee of the Progressive Party to call a Mass Convention of the Progressive voters of Vermont to be held at Hotel Vermont, Burlington, May 24th, at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing delegates and alternates to the Progressive National Convention, to be held in Chicago, June 7th. It is the desire of the committee that all Progressives of Vermont who are interested in the success of the principles and platform of the Progressive Party attend this meeting, and every Progressive in Vermont will have a voice in the election of such delegates and alternates.

Dr. H. Nelson Jackson, Chairman.  
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### RECORDS MADE FROM ESTEY CHURCH ORGAN

Specially Made Instrument Used Successfully by Victor Talking Machine Co.—New Accomplishment.

Successful and accurate church organ music records for talking machines have been made, says a Boston despatch to the Music Trade Indicator. The noblest chorals, the mightiest harmonies, and all the vast range of musical expression of that monarch of all musical instruments, the great pipe organ, with which man may seem to summon to his call the rolling thunder and the raging sea or the song of birds and the faintly whispering breeze of summer, have been caught and carefully recorded by the Victor Talking Machine Co., working in conjunction with the Estey Organ Company, according to Director of Recording C. G. Child of the Victor company. Mr. Child, the man who for years has closed contracts with all the famous singers whose records are found in the ever growing Victor repertoire until their total cash value is soaring high into the millions, is the brother-in-law of Collector-of-the-Port Edmund Billings of Boston and upon a recent visit to this city, he broke the news of this new accomplishment in the permanent recording of music while at lunch at the Copley Plaza hotel.

He said that for the first time in the history of the talking machine, the Victor concern had successfully made records of church organ music.

Col. Estey of the Estey Organ Company, Brattleboro, Vermont, was the man that actually made it possible," said he. "Col. Estey furnished the specially made organ for making talking machine records."

"Of course, records have been made before this from church organs but records of church organ music have never been made successfully. It has been impossible to get all the music. We have made them many times, and failed to make good ones because we couldn't catch all the music. I have been crawling around organ lofts, disturbing the dust of ages and racking my brains to solve the big problem for years. Now we have succeeded."

"Before long the Victor company will put on the market a series of church organ music records that will bring the grandeur of that wonderful instrument into the homes of the people."

### STATE ACCEPTS LICENSE MONEY.

Case Against City of Rutland Will Not Be Carried to Higher Court.

RUTLAND, May 22.—The case of the state of Vermont against the city of Rutland has been settled by the acceptance by State Treasurer Walter F. Scott of Brandon of the check from City Treasurer Will L. Davis of \$10,000.

Only \$2,750 was in dispute and by

the verdict of a jury the city retains this amount of money. The present license board set the license fees at the minimum amount, a total reduction in the 14 licenses of \$2,750. The licensees of their own free will made up this difference by paying over to the city the difference. They were handed separate receipts and two transactions were entirely apart from each other.

The state declined the first offer of the \$10,000, asking that the entire amount of money received from the liquor dealers, \$12,750, be handed over and this started the dispute. The city refused and finally won out.

It was said that the case was going to a higher court but the check was forwarded to the state treasurer the first of the week and Treasurer Davis has since received receipts for that amount.

The money in question, together with the \$10,000, has been drawing interest for the city so the money used in fighting the city's claim in court is nearly paid for by the use of the money.

### SAVE OIL FOR THE NAVY.

Daniels Appeals to Mr. Wilson to Keep Fuel Reserve in California.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Secretary Daniels has appealed to President Wilson to use his influence to save the navy's reserves in the California oil fields a vital step in the campaign for adequate national defense.

Should the bill favorably reported by the senate public lands committee, to legalize certain entries on lands withdrawn by President Taft in 1909, become a law, Mr. Wilson was told, the navy must abandon oil fuel and return to coal with a consequent loss in steaming radius and speed to its ships. Navy designers would be unsafe to continue construction of oil burning battle craft unless an adequate reserve supply of fuel was in sight.

Mr. Daniels submitted a full summary of the situation, and the President began studying the problem immediately as the bill probably will be taken up in the senate this week.

A delegation of California oil operators, headed by former Governor Gillett, of that state, called on Secretary Daniels to talk the situation over. The conference will be continued, as no progress was made. It is understood, however, that the oil men were prepared to negotiate for a compromise bill.

Secretary Daniels already has talked with many senators, pointing out the effect on the navy if the bill is passed, and has been assured of strong support in the opposition to the measure both in the senate and the house, if the provisions to which he objects reach the conference stage.

### SEEING POSSIBILITIES

is the scope of the average business man. One, however, does not have to be a big man to see and appreciate the possibilities of the policies written by the National Life Ins. Co., of Vt. (Mutual).—ALBERT C. LAIRD, Special Agent, Abbott Block.

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### LITTLE TEXAS TOWN WRECKED BY TORNADO

Nine Dead and 38 Injured in Kemp Community Visited by Big Wind Twice in Recent Years.

DENISON, Texas, May 22.—Nine persons were killed and 38 injured and Kemp City, Okla., eight miles east of this city, was wrecked by a tornado which Saturday night swept a path three-quarters of a mile wide and five miles long in the Kemp City section. Only three small dwellings remain standing at Kemp City. Twelve business houses, a two-story hotel and 60 residences were demolished in Kemp City. This is the second time in recent years that the little town of 300 inhabitants has been visited by a tornado. Mercants said that the town probably would not be rebuilt.

Eight were killed in the town while the other victim, a child, was killed in the collapse of its father's home just across the Red river in Texas. The dead are: Postmaster M. E. Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. William Bronson, Chancy Battle, cashier of the Bank of Kemp; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cox, Artile Pleasant, Mrs. J. W. Hively and the six-year-old daughter of Dr. J. J. McCullough.

Of the 38 persons injured, 36 are residents of Kemp City. Two daughters of Dr. McCullough were hurt at the time their younger sister was killed in the McCullough home, five miles east of Denison. Most of those injured were caught in the collapse of buildings while trying to reach storm cellars soon after the storm broke at 9:20 p. m. Saturday.

The bodies of the dead in several instances were found hundreds of yards from where their houses had stood. The two-year-old child of Dr. and Mrs. Bronson, who were killed, was hurled 50 feet with flying debris when the Bronson residence was destroyed, but the child suffered only minor injuries.

After the storm passed, emergency treatment was given the injured in darkness, with rain falling in torrents. A special train, carrying 12 physicians from Denison, did not reach Kemp until several hours after the tornado had passed.

### DR. EDWIN W. HIGBEE DEAD.

Northampton Physician Was a Native of Charlotte, Vermont.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., May 22.—Dr. Edwin W. Higbee, a well-known homeopathic physician, died yesterday after a long illness, aged 66. He was a native of Charlotte, Vt., and was graduated from the medical school department of the University of Vermont. He was a specialist and practiced at Westfield a short time. He had been located in Northampton about 40 years. He is survived by his wife and a son, Earle.

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